

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants : Riki OKAMOTO *et al.*  
Serial No. : 10/576,227  
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For : HIGH-STRENGTH STEEL SHEETS EXCELLENT IN  
HOLE-EXPANDABILITY AND DUCTILITY

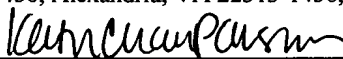
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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**  
**PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)**

Sir:

Applicants respectfully petition for an additional one (1) month extension of time in which to respond to the Office Action mailed June 8, 2010 for which a three (3) month response period expiring on September 8, 2010 was set. A one-month extension of time and the \$ 130.00 fee was paid on October 8, 2010. The extended period expires effectively on **November 8, 2010.**

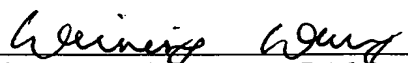
Please charge the extension fee of Three Hundred and Sixty Dollars (\$360.00) for an additional one (1) month extension of time to Deposit Account 11-0600. If any additional fee is required, please charge Deposit Account 11-0600. A copy of this Petition is enclosed for deposit account charging purposes.

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Respectfully submitted,

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